PAST DEVELOPMENTS OF LARGE WIND GENERATORS IN EUROPE

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This presentation describes the more important large wind-driven power systems that have been proposed or built in this century in the various countries of Europe. Some of these are shown in the accompanying figures 1 to 9. The physical size, maximum power output, and other characteristics of each system were described with the aid of slides. The most important of the large-size wind-driven plants in Europe were built in Germany, England, Denmark, France, and Russia.

Also described, in some detail, was the 100-kilowatt wind-driven generator that was designed and built by the author in cooperation with the Allgaier-Works of Wurttenburg, West Germany (figure 10). A short movie was presented to show the 100-kilowatt Hutter-Allgaier machine in operation. In figure 11 is displayed the measured output in kilowatts for various wind speeds. For comparison, the data of Andreau-Enfield-Cables wind generator system are shown.



30 m Ø. 100 KW DC RUSSIAN WIND -TURBINE, YALTA, BLACK SEA, 1931.



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Figure 4

Figure 3



31 m DIAMETER, 800 KVA, NOGENT LeROI, FRANCE, 1958-1960

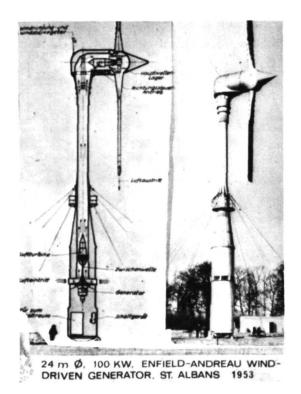


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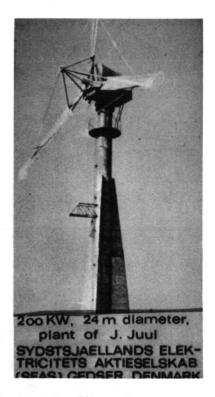
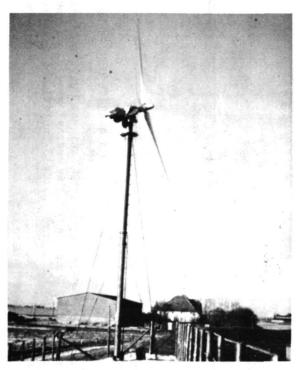


Figure 7



10 m DIAMETER, 10 kW, U. HUTTER - ALLGAIER DESIGN, WEST GERMANY, 1950-1960

Figure 9



15 m Ø , 100 KW. JOHN BROWN WIND-TURBINE, ORKNEY, ENGL

Figure 8



35 m DIAMETER, 100 kW, U. HUTTER - ALLGAIER DESIGN, WEST GERMANY, 1961-1966

Figure 10

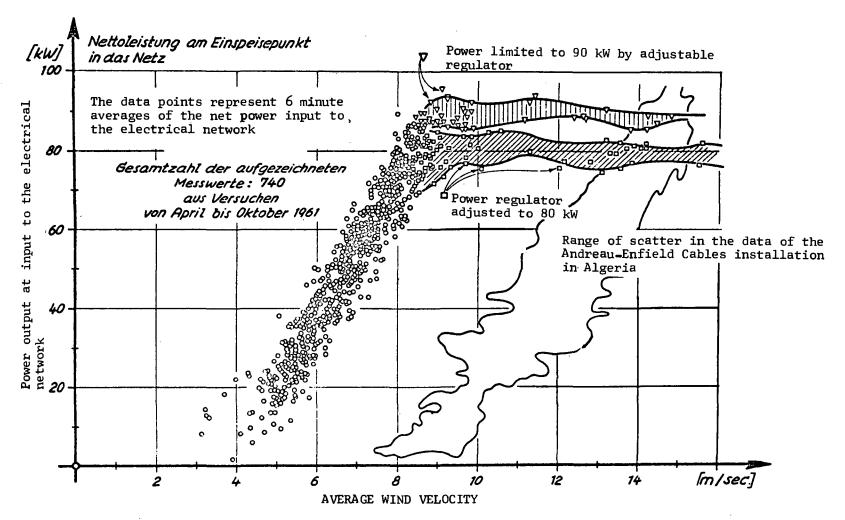


Figure 11. - The power output of the Hutter-Allgaier 100 kW wind-driven generator plant as a function of the average wind speed and a comparison with the performance of the 100 kW Andreau-Enfield-Cables wind generator.